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MEDIUM RECORDING VOICE REFERENCE CONTROL PROGRAM AND VOICE RECOGNITION NAVIGATION

**APPARATUS** 

## REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

- 1. Submission required under 37 CFR § 1.114
  - a. Previously submitted
    - i. Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116

previously filed on

ii. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply

Brief previously filed on

- iii. Other
- b. Enclosed

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		i.	$\boxtimes$	Amendment/Reply	
		ii.		Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)	
		iji.		Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)	
		iv.		Other	
2.	Miscellaneous				
	a.		Suspe	ension of action on the above-identified application is	
	requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of months (not to				
	excee	ceed three months). The required fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) is included			
•	in Section 3. a. iii. below.				
	b.		Other	<b>.</b>	
3.	Fees				
	a.	$\boxtimes$	The :	following fees are included in the payment indicated	
below:					
		i.	$\boxtimes$	RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e)	
		ii.		Extension of time fee required under 37 CFR 1.136 &	
		1.17			
		iii.		Other	
	b.	$\boxtimes$	Paym	nent:	
		i,	$\boxtimes$	Two checks in the amounts of $$770.00$ and $$420.00$ are	
		enclo	sed		

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ii. The Director is hereby authorized to charge the fees listed above in Section 3 a i-iii to the Deposit Account of Crowell & Moring, L.L.P., Account No. 05-1323 (Docket No. \*)

iii. 
If a check should become detached or if there is any deficiency in fees, any necessary fees should be charged, or any overpayment in fees should be credited, to the Deposit Account of Crowell & Moring, L.L.P., Account No. 05-1323 (Docket No. 1420/49237).

Respectfully submitted,

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